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Sir:

This is in response to the non-final Office Action mailed April 23, 2003, having a three-month shortened statutory period of response set to expire July 23, 2003. A two-month petition is hereby requested and the requisite fee of $410.00 is attached herewith. The following amendment and remarks are respectfully submitted.

IN THE CLAIMS

Please cancel claims 1, 2, and 13-16 without prejudice or disclaimer.

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1. (Cancelled)

2. (Cancelled)

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